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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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This is a

[] Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) under 37 CFR §1.53(d);

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR §1.114 (prosecution of the application is closed in the sense of 37 CFR 1.,114(b));

[X] Continuation Application (parent not abandoned) under 37 CFR **§1.53(b)**;

Divisional Application (parent being abandoned) under 37 CFR [] §1.53(d);

of pending prior application Serial No. 09/266,578, filed March 11, 1999

for [Title as filed]: LOW REFLECTIVE ANTISTATIC HARDCOAT FILM

[Amended Title]: <u>same</u>

by [Inventors]: <u>Hiroko SUZUKI and Takahiro NIIMI</u>

- [] Abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this 1. application.
- [X] The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS REMAINING IN AN APPLICATION AFTER ENTRY

OF ANY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT OR AMENDMENT Basic Fee UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 NOTED BELOW \$710.00 -20 = $0 \times $18.00 (* 9.00) =$ Total claims 5 - 3 = $0 \times \$80.00 \ (*40.00) =$ Independent claims 1 \$710.00 Total Filing Fee.....

[X] A check in the amount of \$710.00 is enclosed (Ck#/4493). 3. THE COMMISSIONER IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY OTHER FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 16-0331.

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- 4. [] Cancel in this application claims of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. At least one independent claim is retained for filing purposes.
- 5. [] Please enter in the present application the Amendment Under 37 CFR §1.116 with any attachments filed on in said prior application which was not entered therein.
- 6. [X] Priority of foreign application(s) No. 67428/1998, filed March 17, 1998; in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
 - [X] The certified copy was filed in prior application No. 09/266,578 on May 18, 1999.
 - [] A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is filed herewith.
- [X] The prior application is assigned of record to <u>DAI NIPPON PRINTING</u>

 <u>CO., LTD.</u> Recorded at Reel <u>010001</u>, Frame <u>0286</u>.
 - [X] The power of attorney in the prior application is to Roger W. Parkhurst, Registration No. 25,177 and Charles A. Wendel, Registration No. 24,453:
 - [x] a. The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
 - [] b. Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
 - [x] c. Address all future communications to

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- 9. [X] A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed herewith.
- 10. [] Small entity status was established in the parent application via a verified statement filed on ______.

Respectfully submitted,

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